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Property bought, sold or exchanged
City property rented and carefully looked
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Nothing but a local
remedy or change of
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Get a well-known
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TO BE COMPENSATED

President Will Have \$3,000,-
000 to Pay the Cubans
and Filipinos.

BOTH HOUSE AND SENATE

Have Approved the Appropriation,
but in Different Forms—Only to Be
Paid for Time Served as Allies of
the United States and Must Consent
to Be Disarmed.

Washington, Dec. 20.—The president, through congress, will have \$3,000,000 with which to pay the Filipinos and Cubans for services rendered as auxiliaries during the war with Spain. Both the house and senate have approved the appropriation, but in different forms. The subject is now in conference, and will be adjusted early in the week. The money will be available soon after the president's return.

The house appropriated the \$3,000,000 by inserting in the urgent deficiency bill this clause: "For the emergency fund, and to meet unforeseen contingencies constantly arising, \$3,000,000."

The senate reaffirmed the appropriation, with the addition of the words: "To be expended at the discretion of the president."

The specific object of the appropriation is not stated, but it is well understood by the committees of congress.

The war department is now at work on the plan. The Filipinos and Cubans are to be paid for the time they served as allies of the United States in the war with Spain. They must consent to be disarmed and disbanded at the time they are paid, just as American troops are mustered out.

Official information gathered by the war department indicates that the fund will be amply sufficient. There are about 12,000 Filipinos under arms, and \$1,000,000 will be more than enough to pay them, even if the rate is that allowed United States volunteers.

The Cubans to be paid are supposed to number about 30,000. Both the Cubans and Filipinos now under arms will, according to the advice received, accept the offer of the United States and lay down their arms.

FIFTY-FIFTH CONGRESS.

House Passes the Philadelphia Exposition Bill.
Washington, Dec. 20.—Yesterday was suspension day in the house and several bills were passed, the most important of which was the bill appropriating \$350,000 for the Philadelphia exposition of 1899. The vote was exceedingly close. It had but two votes more than the necessary two-thirds.

Mr. Bailey of Texas introduced a resolution directing the judiciary committee to investigate and report on the question as to whether the members of the house who accepted commissions in the army had forfeited their seats in the house.

The senate had a busy day and there were several important speeches. Mr. Platt of Connecticut spoke against the Vermont resolution, which declares that the United States has no power to acquire territory. He said that the power of a nation to acquire territory was as inherent as its sovereignty. The United States had the right to govern such territory in the best possible manner until the people of the acquired lands were capable of self-government. Mr. Proctor of Vermont and Mr. Hale of Maine exchanged divergent views upon the subject of a commission of senators to visit Cuba.

PEACE COMMISSIONERS.

Remored That Day and Reich Are to Receive \$100,000 Each.
Washington, Dec. 20.—Inquiry was made at the state department yesterday

In olden times mistaken enthusiasts used to inflict upon themselves all manner of painful and horrible tortures. Men scourged themselves with whips and hot irons, and rubbed vinegar into the wounds and were more than old. They neglected their health, and neglected health means physical torture of the body. It means slow starvation. Because a man forces food into a weak and impaired stomach, it does not follow that he feeds his body. The life-giving elements of the food taken into the stomach are not assimilated into the blood. Instead, the impurities of the sluggish liver and bowels are taken up and carried to all parts of the body. The consequence is that the body is not only starved but poisoned. The immediate result is physical suffering from which the old time zealot would have drawn back in horror. The final result is disease and death. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is a scientific remedy that acts according to nature. It is not a violent spur to nature or a mere artificial appetizer. It gently, but surely and permanently, promotes the natural processes of secretion and excretion. It creates appetite, invigorates the liver and purifies and enriches the blood. It builds up firm, muscular flesh. It cures nervous exhaustion, debility, sleeplessness and all the evils that follow in their train. Found at all medicine stores. Accept no substitutes that may be represented as "just as good."

"I can heartily recommend Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and 'Pleasant Pellets' to anyone troubled with indigestion and torpid liver," writes M. G. Crider, Esq., of Leonard, Harlan Co., Ky. "My disease was chronic. Our family physician could do nothing for me. I starved but could not eat. I could not eat anything but it caused a horrible distress and gnawing in my stomach. I have taken many bottles of your 'Golden Medical Discovery' and several of your 'Pellets' and can work all day."

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in regard to the report that Judge Day and Whitlaw Reid are each to receive \$100,000 for their services as members of the Spanish peace commission, and that officers of the commission are to receive compensation on the same liberal scale. At the state department it was stated yesterday in the most positive terms that the question of compensation of the members and officers of the peace commission is entirely in the hands of the president of the United States, and, as far as is known, he has not indicated to any body his plans in the matter.

BLANCO IN SPAIN

Sends a Telegram of Devotion to the Queen Regent.

Alicante, Spain, Dec. 20.—The Spanish rail steamer Villa Verde, with Marshal Ramon Blanco, former captain general of Cuba; Generals Fernal and Tejada, Colonels Cevallos, Pagliery, Tasser and Domenech and several others of lesser rank, arrived here late yesterday from Havana.

Marshal Blanco landed without incident and, evading the crowd which was awaiting him, took the train for Madrid, after sending to the queen regent a telegram of devotion and receiving from Senor Sagasta one of welcome. He declined to discuss the Cuban campaign, but appeared greatly affected.

Are Bankrupts.

Chicago, Dec. 20.—Henry B. and Henry E. Mason, surviving members of the law firm of Mason Brothers, have filed in the United States district court, a petition in voluntary bankruptcy in which they schedule liabilities amounting to over \$400,000. Their assets, which consist mostly of real estate, most of which is heavily encumbered, are placed at \$700,000. Edward G. Mason, the well known lawyer, who died Sunday was one of the partners in the firm.

\$1,000,000 FIRE

Many Terre Haute Business Houses
Burned Out and Several
Persons Injured.

Terre Haute, Ind., Dec. 20.—The worst fire in the history of Terre Haute took place last night, causing a loss of nearly \$2,000,000. The blaze started in the big show windows of the Havens & Geddes company, wholesale and retail dealers in drygoods and notions. The cause is not definitely known, but it is supposed that a live electric wire set fire to the cotton with which the window was decorated, and before the blaze could be extinguished spread to the decorations of evergreens in the store and the building was wrapped in flames in an incredibly short space of time.

The following firms are losers: Haven & Geddes, \$800,000; Breng & Miller, furniture, \$35,000; Pixley & Co., \$100,000; Terre Haute Shoe company, wholesale, \$150,000; Albrecht & Co., retail dry goods, \$190,000; United States Baking company, \$80,000; Thorman & Schloss, clothiers, \$50,000. A number of small concerns which were literally annihilated in the fall of the rear wall of the Haven & Geddes wholesale house and the loss in their case will more than bring the total loss up to the \$1,000,000 mark. The fire started at 5:30 o'clock when half the employees of the establishment were at their homes for supper. There is a force of 3,000 or more in the retail department of the establishment and had the entire force been present the loss of life would have been frightful.

Kate Maloney, a clerk in the notion department, sprang from a window in the second story and sustained injuries from which she will probably die.

Miss Luella Ferguson, a clerk in the same department, jumped just before Miss Maloney, but was caught by some men who were watching for her. She is internally injured, but will recover.

Louis Kramer, the trimmer, who was in the show window when the fire started, is frightfully burned about the head and arms. When rescued from the burning building he was insane from the pain and begged to be killed. Firemen Austerloo, Walsh and Shay were badly injured in the falling of the floor in the Albrecht building and are now in the City hospital.

The fire department worked admirably and there were many narrow escapes among the men. Several of the firemen are in a precarious condition from burns and the effects of the stifling smoke, but it is thought all will recover.

A heroic act on the part of a man named Peters, a traveling salesman from Chicago for the Baldwin music-house, called forth cheers from the crowd watching the flames. When the fire first started Peters was standing in the crowd and saw the Maloney and Ferguson girls appear at the second story windows. The girls were panic-stricken and were in momentary danger of going down with the floor. Peters sprang through the door with his coat over his head and, dashing through the flames and smoke, reached the window at which the girls appeared, and after talking with them swung out from the ledge and dropped. His example was followed by the two girls.

FIRE IN A STABLE

Causes an Explosion Killing One Private and Injuring Eight Others.

Newport, R. I., Dec. 20.—During a fire in the stables at Fort Adams last night a gunroom exploded, killing Private Sullivan of Battery A, Seventh artillery and injuring eight other soldiers. All the horses were saved, but the stables of light Battery F, Fourth artillery, were destroyed.

Constant Coughing

Constant coughing is not only very annoying, but the continuous hacking and irritation will soon attack and injure the delicate lining of the throat and air passages. A simple cough is really dangerous. Take advice and use the celebrated Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup at once and be cured.

Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup

Cures a Cough or Cold at once.

Doses are small and pleasant to take. Doctors recommend it. Price 25 cts. At all druggists.

New Gasfield.

Cambridge City, Ind., Dec. 20.—This city, Dublin, East Germantown and Milton are now being furnished gas from the new field being developed in Rush county. A well will probably be drilled at Milton next month.

INDIANA BREVITIES.

Fear an epidemic of scarlet fever at Bedford.

Tax rate in Noble county is said to be the lowest in the state.

The windowglass factory fire at Hartford City caused a loss of \$50,000.

Bessie Jones, the missing Elwood girl, is at Frankton working in a hotel.

Christian church at Greenfield has extended a call to Rev. T. H. Kuin, recently of Kokomo.

Fred H. Fox of Richmond has been appointed to a \$1,400 position in the military postoffice in Cuba.

James Ward, the alleged Flora bank robber, who broke jail at Memphis, was recaptured in Miami county.

Dr. G. T. McNitt of Connersville is dead. He was injured in the gas explosion which wrecked the Perry block.

E. G. Rompage, ex-treasurer of Elkhart county, against whom it was charged there was a shortage of \$6,850, has been exonerated.

Treasury Statement.

Washington, Dec. 20.—The statement of the condition of the treasury shows: Available cash balance, \$291,596,111; gold reserve, \$241,095,496.

THE MARKETS.

Prices for Grain, Cattle and Poultry on Dec. 19.

Indianapolis.

WHEAT—Dull; No. 2 red, 77 1/2c.

CORN—Dull; No. 2 mixed, 27 1/2c.

OATS—Firm; No. 2 mixed, 27 1/2c.

CATTLE—Active at \$10.00; 35c.

HOGS—Active at \$2.00; 4c.

SHEEP—Active at \$2.00; 3c.

LAMBS—Active at \$2.00; 3c.

Chicago, Grain and Provisions.

WHEAT—May opened 77 1/2c, closed 77 1/2c.

CORN—May opened 25 1/2c, closed 25 1/2c.

OATS—May opened 25 1/2c, closed 25 1/2c.

PORK—Jan. opened 59 1/2c, closed 59 1/2c.

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FLIRTING FILIPINOS

Spanish Rule Preferred to Any
Other Form of Foreign
Intervention.

CLAIMS OF CIVILIZATION

Not Borne Out by the Report of
Cruelties Inflicted on Surrendered
Spaniards—Unpleasant Weather Is
Having a Bad Effect on the Ameri-
can Troops at Manila.

Manila, Nov. 1, via San Francisco, Dec. 20.—All sorts of rumors are current here as to what the Philippine republic is doing with reference to the settlement of the Philippine question, but the Philippine newspapers insist that nothing but absolute independence will be accepted by the natives.

Senor Paterno, president of the Philippine assembly, is said to have cabled a long message to Madrid a few days ago to the effect that if Spain would guarantee autonomy and other reform measures the whole country would support Spanish rule in preference to any other form of foreign intervention.

The claims so strenuously made by the natives that they are a highly civilized race, is not borne out by facts, according to Spanish refugees from the north who have just reached here. They say that after the surrender of the town of Aparri, the insurgents formed a parade, the central feature of which was a Spanish lieutenant who was carried along the streets suspended from a bamboo pole, to which his hands and feet were tied just as hogs are carried here by the coolies. On arrival at the plaza, the procession halted, the pole was placed upon two forked sticks and a squad of rebels proceeded to terrorize their helpless victim by shooting as close to his head as was possible without wounding him. When the unfortunate man was unconscious with terror, the procession moved on again.

Another story is told of a Spanish officer being confined in a cell with his hands tied behind his back and compelled to eat the portions of food allotted him from the floor, like a dog. Not satisfied with this, his captors are said to have hooked a rope to his swollen wrists and through a pulley overhead, hauled him off his feet until he fainted.

Agustino's official organ, the Republica Filipino, announces that its Paris correspondent, presumably Agostillo, says that the Philippine group has been added to the United States, which will grant independence to the Filipinos after a time, which is to be fixed by protocol, and will not be less than six years, if the Filipinos show that they have a satisfactory faculty of governing themselves.

The present unpleasant weather is having its effect upon the health of the American troops, hundreds of whom are suffering from cramps and chills occasioned by the dampness of their quarters and exposure.

It was currently rumored that at least 20 per cent of the American army of occupation is on the sick list, which would indicate an epidemic, but inquiry at the brigade hospital proved this to be an exaggeration, for the total number of patients there was 750, of which only 18 were smallpox and about 200 fever patients.

Havana's Police.
Havana, Dec. 20.—General Greene has approved ex-Chief John McCullagh's plan to organize a police force of 1,000 men on the model of the New York system, formerly under McCullagh's superintendence. Clubs and revolvers have been ordered from New York and the selection of men is being made by Colonel Moulton and ex-Chief McCullagh. A detective bureau will be a feature of the organization. General Castellanos will turn the palace over to the United States authorities thoroughly cleaned. The interior has been partially repainted and new plumbing has been put in for the benefit of the Americans.

Closing Carlist Clubs.
Madrid, Dec. 20.—Senor Montero Ricos had a long conference yesterday afternoon with Duke Almodovar Rio, minister of foreign affairs, to whom he handed the peace treaty documents. Lieutenant General Marin, captain general of Madrid, is about to issue a proclamation, closing all the Carlist clubs in the district and it is expected that he will also order the suspension of all Carlist newspapers.

Demanding the Secret Dossier.
London, Dec. 20.—The French court of cassation, according to a special dispatch from Paris, has demanded the secret dossier, undertaking not to publish its contents.

MISCELLANEOUS NOTES.
Stewart M. Brice, son of Calvin S. Brice, will manage his father's \$5,000,000 estate.

Rebels have seized the town of Chung Yang, China, and massacred a French priest and 100 converts.

Baldwinsville, N. Y., was visited by a \$110,000 fire. It started in the Kenyon paper company's plant.

Colonel Bryan has written a letter to Senator Stewart denying reports of unfitness to be senator.

The Russian government is reported to have ordered 10 new destroyers for the Pacific squadron to be completed in two years.

A fund has been opened in London to make provision for the widow and children of Harold Frederic, the American correspondent, whom he left destitute.

Julius and David Rosenthal of New York, doing business in Cincinnati and Chicago, have filed petitions in bankruptcy, one for \$215,932 and the other \$116,114. Neither has any assets.

THE CRUISER RESOLUTE.
Philadelphia, Dec. 20.—The United States cruiser Resolute left League island pay-ward yesterday for Havana with a crew of 300 men and supplies for the naval station at the Cuban capital.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY
Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c. The genuine has L. B. Q. each table.

K. OF L.

Demurrer In a Conspiracy Case Over-
ruled.

Washington, Dec. 20.—Judge Bradley of the district criminal court, has overruled the demurrer to the indictment in the Knights of Labor conspiracy case, and in a vigorous decision stated that against such combinations as that alleged in the indictment, the injured individuals are at a great disadvantage and require the protection of law. The case is against members of the district assembly, K. of L., who are charged with conspiring to injure the business of a local tradesman because he refused to build certain wagons in the District of Columbia and the court in overruling the demurrer said a conspiracy to injure "is a misdemeanor at common law and indictable as such," and that by a course of decisions covering 400 years these points are clearly settled among others that an indictment will lie at common law for a malicious conspiracy to impoverish or ruin a third person in his trade or profession. By the demurrer, all of the facts, well pleaded in the indictment, were for its purposes admitted to be true.

GEORGIA'S GOLDFIELD

Ohio Capitalists Are Interested—Four
Prospecting Parties Visit the Mines.

Chattanooga, Tenn., Dec. 20.—Ohio capitalists and business men have captured the Dahlonega (Ga.) gold field, and already four prospecting parties have visited the mines, and still others have been organized for a visit to the property. The following party returned from Dahlonega, after a few days' visit: John L. Barnes, contractor, of Toledo; Goldfield Landwear, merchant, of Toledo; Marcus Cook, banker, Mount Gilead, O., and F. E. Ickes, the expert mine engineer. Another party of eight Ohio capitalists and business men arrived yesterday to visit the field. The parties above mentioned all expressed delight over the prospects of the mines. The work is now in progress on a large scale, and 300 men will be at work in the various mines within a short time.

HARRISON'S RULING

Priceless Pain



"If a price can be placed on pain, 'Mother's Friend' is worth its weight in gold as an alleviator. My wife suffered more in ten minutes with either of her other two children than she did together with her last, having previously used four bottles of 'Mother's Friend.' It is a blessing to any one expecting to become a mother," says a customer.

Thus writes Henderson Dale, Druggist, of Carmi, Ill., to the Bradford Regulator Company, of Atlanta, Ga., the proprietors and manufacturers of "Mother's Friend." This successful remedy is not one of the many internal medicines advertised to do unreasonable things, but a scientifically prepared liniment especially effective in adding strength and elasticity to those parts of woman's organism which bear the severest strains of childbirth.

The liniment may be used at any and all times during pregnancy up to the very hour of confinement. The earlier it is begun, and the longer used, the more perfect will be the result, but it has been used during the last month only with great benefit and success.

It not only shortens labor and lessens the pain attending it, but greatly diminishes the danger to life of both mother and child, and leaves the mother in a condition more favorable to speedy recovery.

"Mother's Friend" is sold by druggists at \$1.00, or sent by express on receipt of price.

Valuable book for women, "Before Baby is Born," sent free on application. THE BRADFORD REGULATOR CO., Atlanta, Ga.

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TUESDAY, DECEMBER 20, 1898.

Colonel William Jennings Bryan is still contending that 16 to 1 will be the issue in 1900 yet he is working up a side line to shift to in case it become necessary.

The president spoke well when he said that the questions growing out of the war are to be settled "not for temporary advantage to one party or the other, but for the lasting advantage of the country."

MANY of the farmers' institutes are passing resolutions asking for the repeal of the compulsory school law. The impractical features of the law have made the whole of it unpopular with them.

The attorney general has given an opinion that county treasurers are not entitled to \$3 per day for serving on county boards of review. That the fee and salary law is clearly against such allowance. Under this construction of the law some county treasurers will be owing their counties.

GENERAL MERRITT shows his faith in his own country when he says: "I think the United States is quite capable of handling anything it undertakes." This reply was in response to a question about the ability of the United States to govern the Philippines. The general's superior knowledge of the situation at Manila makes his opinion of more than ordinary importance.

RAILROAD RUMBLINGS.

J. M. Rankin of the M. K. & T., was in the city today.

C. M. McFadden, of the K. C. Line, was in the city last evening.

Conductor William W. Green, of the Illinois Central Line, who has been here visiting his former friends returned today to McComb City, Miss.

A great accumulation of ice and water in Little Salt Creek north of Bedford forced a bridge out on the Monon this morning and their trains are coming around by way of the J., M. & I. Some time may be required to make repairs.

Hon. O. H. Montgomery went to Vernon to court today. The case of Vondelinger against the Pennsylvania railroad, in which he represents the plaintiff, will probably be set for trial at this term.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. C. B. Nottingham is the guest of Indianapolis friends.

Mrs. C. M. Hammond, of Bedford, is the guest of friends here.

M. D. Rowland, of Washington county, came here today to see friends.

Miss Doodie Price, of Ripley county, came to the city today to visit friends.

Mrs. J. F. Patrick went today to Washington to spend the holidays with friends.

Mrs. C. E. Wilson and Miss Josie Wilson, of Jennings county, came here today to visit friends.

Mrs. T. F. Sheron and Miss Lottie Sheron, of Terre Haute, came here last evening to visit Hayden relatives.

Miss Nettie Stearns returned today to Washington from a pleasant visit to her aunt, Mrs. George Crawford, and family.

Misses Laura and Sadie Wilson, of Jennings county, who have been in the city shopping returned home last evening.

Miss Alpha Hoadley came home this forenoon from a three months' visit to her aunt, Mrs. Strausberger, and family of Purcell, Indian Territory. Her stay down there was pleasant in every way.

C. F. Sperrell, of Columbus, went yesterday to Ewing and was given the contract to draw plans for three 20-foot business rooms for Philip W. Zabel, the furniture man, in place of those destroyed by fire recently.

New

Perfumes from California
the land of flowers

Violet,

Wild Rose,

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them.

PETER'S PHARMACY.

Special bargains in fine silver plated knives and forks at Harding's. Prices reduced to \$3.50 per dozen from now until Jan. 1st.

Notice.

Notice is hereby given that no persons must place their ashes in the street or alley without putting them in boxes or barrels. Any person who continues to throw ashes in street or alley will be prosecuted.

By order of the City Council.

ABRAHAM THICHTEN, City Marshal.

A handsome present is a nice pair of link sleeve buttons. Solid gold, from \$2.50 to \$10. J. G. LAUPUS.

Notice of Election.

There will be an election at Hermon Lodge No. 44, K. of P., Thursday evening, Dec. 29th, for the purpose of electing one trustee to serve for three years.

G. L. ATKINSON, C. C.

D. C. HILL, K. of R. S.

That beautiful silver plated tea set for \$6 at Harding's is a daisy. Warranted ten years.

COURT NOTES.

Policeman Hopewell and the Pennsylvania Company's police last night arrested George Harris of 483 Third street, Louisville, and this morning they arrested Harry Baker, of Cleveland, Ohio, after an all night search. Harris and Baker are wanted on the charge of stealing. Several new unused revolvers were found on them and other articles which they are supposed to have stolen.

Justice E. W. Blish this afternoon fined Thomas S. B. Ruddick \$1 and costs for killing a dog of Julia Quinn.

Pickpocket Caught.

Yesterday morning Travis Carter received a letter containing a check on the Seymour National Bank for \$15 and a postoffice money order. He opened the letter while he was in the postoffice lobby and stuck it down in his outside overcoat pocket. A stranger standing near, saw what the letter contained and accosting Mr. Carter walked with him to Milhous' drug store corner, where he left him. Mr. Carter soon missed the letter and its contents and realized that his pocket had been picked. The stranger was arrested yesterday evening at Shepard's barber shop, and the money order was found on his person. He had disposed of the check to some one, but it has not yet been presented for payment at the bank.

The man, who gave his name when arrested, as Henry Galorey of New York City, had also taken some gloves, neckties and handkerchiefs from the Hub clothing store at noon. The handkerchiefs he had pawned at Cassin's saloon and the other articles were found on his person.

Galorey was lodged in the city jail over night and his trial was fixed for 2 o'clock this afternoon before city judge Hoover.

A YANKEE.

Various Views in Various Places as to What He Is.

"I was greatly amused," said a New Orleans citizen who has lately made a visit abroad, "to notice how the term 'Yankee' widens in application as one gets farther and farther away from the habitat of the real thing.

"In New York a Yankee is commonly supposed to be a native of Connecticut, Vermont or Massachusetts, and I have noticed that the name is applied to mean skinflints rather than to the people in general. In St. Louis a Yankee is understood loosely to be any one from the extreme northeast. Here in New Orleans the term includes pretty nearly everybody above Mason and Dixon's line—in short, 'northerner' and 'Yankee' are more or less synonymous.

"Now comes the really absurd part of it, although quite in line with what I have just remarked. While I was in London I found myself continually referred to as a 'Yankee' by natives who had learned I was from New Orleans. 'I think you Yankees are very charming people,' said a big wholesaler who wanted to be extra pleasant. 'I know several from your state.' I tried to explain at first, but I soon got tired of that. I was sure to be greeted by a stare of amazement. 'But I thought all Americans were Yankees, doncher know,' would be the usual protest.

"Later on I met a very intelligent hotel keeper at Bern, in Switzerland, and in the course of conversation he remarked that he had an extremely agreeable countryman of mine staying at his house the previous season. 'As you are both Yankees,' he said, 'you may by chance know him. 'Where does he live?' I asked. 'In Buenos Ayres,' replied the hotel keeper. "New Orleans Times-Herald.

INDIAN SIGNAL SERVICE.

They Have Long Telephoned by the Use of Drums.

Travelers in uncivilized countries have often wondered how some savage tribes were able to transmit news for hundreds of miles with no apparent facilities for doing so. An interesting light is thrown on this subject by Jose Bach, who tells of the means by which the Indians on the Amazon communicate with each other at a distance. The natives live in groups of 100 to 200 persons in settlements half a mile or a mile apart. In each dwelling there is a wooden drum, which is buried for half its height in sand mixed with fragments of wood, bone and mica, and has a triple diaphragm of leather, wood and rubber. When this drum is struck with a wooden mallet, the sound travels far and is distinctly heard in the other drums in the neighboring dwellings.

It is beyond doubt that the transmission of the sound takes place through the earth, since the blows struck are scarcely audible outside of the houses in which the instruments are placed. After a "maloca," or dwelling, has been "called up" by an initial blow conversation is carried on between the two drums. Mr. Bach's explanation is that the communication is facilitated by the nature of the ground, the drums doubtless resting upon one and the same stratum of rock, since transmission through ordinary alluvial earth could not be depended upon. This method furnishes an ingenious modification of the process employed by Indians for perceiving distant noises, such as the gallop of a horse, which consists in applying the ear to the earth.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Uses of Adversity.

It is something new to discover that a bodily affliction can assist one in mastering the difficulties of learning a foreign language, but there is a case of the kind on record.

Miss Gertrude came down stairs one morning with red eyes, a swollen nose and a generally distressed appearance. "What is the matter, Gertrude?" asked her mother.

"An awful cold in my head," she replied.

"I am very sorry," said her sympathizing parent.

"I was when I got up," cheerfully rejoined the young miss, "but I'm not now. I can get that French nasal sound exactly. Tray be-ong. Bong zhoor. How's that?"—Youth's Companion.

Uncle Tom's Cabin

Robert Williams, the phenomenal colored whistler is with Mack's Uncle Tom's Cabin Co., which will show at the opera house tonight. Other colored people of note with this company are Tom Bridges, who leads the colored band and appears in clever specialties. Edward Forsby, the clever vocalist and musician, and a young contortionist who is certainly very daring in his work. Emma Davis, the celebrated colored soprano, will render many of the famous songs of the sunny south. Prices 15c, 25c and 35c.

Notice.

Modern Woodman of America: All members are requested to meet at Hall Wednesday December 21, as there will be election of officers for ensuing year. Also other business of importance. By order of the Ven. Consul, HENRY BRETHAWER, JR., ROBT. BINDER, Clerk. sat tues

Such a display of beautiful silverware was never before on sale on this market as can be seen at S. V. Harding's. Don't buy holiday goods before looking through Harding's stock.

24 Hours

To New Orleans or to Jacksonville via the Queen & Crescent Limited trains from Cincinnati, 55 hours through to Havana.

Notice of Election.

There will be an election at Seymour Lodge No. 204 I. O. O. F. on Tuesday evening, Dec. 27, for the purpose of electing three trustees to serve one for one year, one for two years and one for three years. G. A. CLARK, N. G. W. E. KIMMEL, Rec'd Sec'y.

Call and see our \$20 lady's gold watch the best in the market for that amount of money. J. G. LAUPUS.

Harding's special holiday line of goods beats them all. Every article marked in plain figures. Engraved free.

Chamberlain's Colic Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy can always be depended upon and is pleasant and safe to take. Sold by C. W. Milhous.

Advertised Letters

The following is the list of letters remaining in the postoffice at this place and if not called for within 14 days will be sent to the dead letter office:

LADIES

Brown Jane Miss
Clift Belle Miss
Kieman E L
Lucka George
Murray W R
Polk J J

PHILIP WILHELM, P. M.

Diamond rings \$7.50, \$12.00, \$15.30 and up to \$80. A nice assortment makes a handsome present. Call and them. J. G. LAUPUS.

Notice.

The stockholders of the First National Bank will meet at the banking house in Seymour, Ind., on Tuesday, Jan. 10, 1899, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., for the purpose of electing five directors to serve one year.

J. H. ANDREWS, Cashier.

It will pay you to see that handsome lady's watch, price \$7.00 at S. V. Harding's.

The greatest bargains in holiday goods at S. V. Harding's this year. Engraving free.

Capacity, 120 Tons Daily.

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All Orders Promptly Filled.

From and after January 1899, we will deliver ice in any quantity, wholesale or retail to the people of Seymour and surrounding territory.

For further information call up telephone No. 4, or inquire at the office of the Ice Plant.

The Duhme Jewelry Company,

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All our Diamonds are Carefully selected in the rough, and cut in our Factory by Expert Diamond Cutters. We carry the Largest Stock in the West at the Lowest Prices.

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Our stock of STERLING SILVER TOLLETT WARE and WEDDING SILVER is the most complete in the West. A few exclusive patterns of Sterling Silver Spoons and Forks at \$1.00 PER OUNCE.

WATCHES.

We are Sole Agents for the Celebrated Patek, Philippe & Co watches. Our stock in this line includes every grade and make known to the trade, at prices to suit everybody.

STATIONERY.

Our Department of Stationery and Engraving is thoroughly up-to-date, and complete in every respect.

Send for our Holiday Shopping List, containing many valuable suggestions. Mail orders promptly attended to. Goods sent to our Patrons on Selection.

Come on Get in Line.

And see an Elegant Line of New Goods just received or the Holidays. Made by the best manufacturers in the country. You will know more about these Goods by looking at them five minutes than we could tell you in hours.

REMEMBER

We have everything in the Furniture Line at prices to suit your pocket book.

Seymour Furniture Co.,

121 and 123 South Chestnut St., Seymour.

J. GRELLLE'S FAMOUS BUTCHER SHOP.

MONDAY.

The place to buy a first-class steak or chop, Is J. Grelle's far famed butcher shop.

TUESDAY.

The place to buy a handsome ham, A porter house steak or a big leg of lamb, Is where Seymour ladies stop, And that is Grelle's butcher shop.

WEDNESDAY.

Grelle's cleavers make the Hamburg, And his Hamburg makes you fat; When you trade with Grelle, You know just where you're at.

THURSDAY.

There's heaps of consolation, On the other side of grief. And you get there while investigating Grelle's prime roast beef.

FRIDAY.

When hunger drives you forward, You are bound to make a break, And hustle down to Grelle's— Butcher shop for a tender sirloin steak.

SATURDAY.

Grelle's hooks are all employed, And the carcass hangeth down, At Grelle's daily market, The market of the town.

Choice dressed Steer Meat, Veal, Mutton and Pork, Spare-ribs, Tenderloins, Sausages of all kinds, Turkeys, Geese, Chickens Ducks. Leave orders for Christmas Turkeys.

J. Grelle's Butcher Shop,

Cor. Brown and Walnut Streets.

There is a Class of People.

Who are injured by the use of coffee. Recently there has been placed in all grocery stores a new preparation called GRAIN-O made of pure grains, that takes the place of coffee. The most delicate stomach receives it without distress, and but few can tell it from coffee. It does not cost over 1/2 as much. Children may drink it without great benefit. 15c and 25c per package. Try it. Ask for GRAIN-O.

Call and see our large stock watches, diamonds, jewelry, solid silver novelties, clocks, cut glass, gold spectacles when looking for Xmas presents. Do not fail to give us a call. J. G. LAUPUS.



The Gay Holiday Season is upon us, when everybody should be in 'holiday attire,' with the whiteness of Christmas snow upon their shirt bosom, and the finish that only an artist could lay upon their collars, cuffs or shirt. Colored shirts are laundered with an extreme carelessness, that keeps them from fading or losing their original color.

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Get your boy a fine warm comfortable ulster and let us make it. If your wife doesn't surprise you with one get us to make a larger edition for yourself. Our prices are reasonable and values are astonishing, but we must keep pace with the times.



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(Sunday's.)

Excursion Rates.

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No. 7. " " " 3:20 p. m.

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No. 10. Local Freight Arr.....4:45 p. m.
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P., C., C. & St. L. Schedule of Passenger Trains.

Under the schedule taking effect Sunday, Dec. 26, passenger trains will leave this station as follows, viz:

NORTH.

No. 19—Daily Mail and Express
Chicago.....9:42 a. m.

No. 31—Daily except Sunday.
Indianapolis Acc.....3:35 p. m.

No. 5—Daily P. M. Flyer.....5:24 p. m.

No. 3—Daily Mail and Express
Chicago.....9:52 p. m.

SOUTH.

No. 10—Daily Louisville Mail and Express.....5:15 a. m.

No. 2—Daily Louisville Acc.....10:16 a. m.

No. 18—Daily Louisville Fast Mail.....5:41 p. m.

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The Burlington Route has weekly tourist sleeper excursions, personally conducted (by a Burlington Route Agent) every Wednesday from St. Louis and Thursday from Kansas City and St. Joseph to Los Angeles and San Francisco. The route is via Denver, scenic Colorado, Salt Lake City with 98 per cent sunshine throughout the year. Ask ticket agent or write,

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PERSONAL.

Will Crane left this morning for Burwick, Mo., on an extended visit to relatives and friends.

J. F. Patrick of Hamlet, is here visiting his brother-in-law, Thomas J. Clark and other relatives.

Harry Cribb, who was injured in the fire at Brownstown has almost recovered and goes about as usual.

Mrs. Willis L. Johnson came home Monday from a visit to her mother, Mrs. Frysinger of Brownstown.

Rev. G. Markworth and wife, of White Creek came to the city yesterday and made a purchase of Christmas goods.

Prof. Will Ackerman returned Monday to Walesboro from a visit to his sick father, Frank Ackerman of Freetown.

George Brown, of near Hayden, came here and enlisted in the regular army. He went last night for Louisville from whence he will go to Omaha, Neb.

Alfred, 19 year old son of Willard Cox here, recently gave up his job on the Southern Indiana and told his father that he was going to Louisville, Ill., to visit his aunt, Mrs. Porter. He left four weeks ago, since which time no word has been heard of the missing young man. His parents are greatly worried on account of his action.

Deafness Cannot Be Cured

By local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars; free.

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Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills are the best.

WASKOM.

John Pollett is hauling oak logs to the depot at Brownstown.

Jas. Bailey moved his saw mill plant to Little York Saturday.

Penning Reynolds contemplates moving his family to Little York.

George Wackom, son of John Wackom died at Medora Friday morning at 9 o'clock after a lingering illness of seven weeks. The remains were brought to the Freedom Baptist church at this place Sunday morning. After the funeral exercises, conducted by Rev. Asher, the remains were laid to rest in the Knob cemetery. After a song, "Lord, I'm Coming Home," Rev. Asher chose for his theme the language of Paul, "That life from beginning to end is a ceaseless struggle." It is needless to say that the discourse was a glowing tribute to a sublime and glowing character. The funeral was largely attended, the large house being packed to its utmost capacity. The bereaved parents have the entire sympathy of the community.

EAST GRASSY.

Roads muddy.

Joseph Perry is spending the winter in Louisville.

Frank Falk has completed a large barn on his farm.

Henry Bobb purchased a fine lot of turkeys of our farmers here.

Frank Brown sold a fine lot of sycamore timber to O. T. Perry.

Love Collins, of Sellersburg, was here last week, visiting and hunting.

Charles Green and Dick Williams are clearing ground for Andy Briner.

Mrs. James Rutherford and daughter of Scottsburg, visited relatives here last week.

Henry Starr is home after serving as juryman. He thinks he is now qualified for constable.

Frank Pierson, of Jennings county, was here last week looking after his children's interest in the Downing estate.

Miss Edith Blair died at her home Dec. 12th, of typhoid fever, aged 15 years. Her remains were interred in the Mt. Pleasant cemetery.

H. S. Prince has traded his 14 acre farm at Oldtown for John Riggles' 60 acre farm, Riggles receiving \$600 difference.

Have You a Son, Brother?

Has he been in the Army or Navy? Buy today a 25c. package of Allen's Foot-Ease, a powder for the feet. All who march, walk or stand need it. It cures aching, tired, sore, swollen, sweating feet, and makes hot tight or new shoes. Feet can't blister, get sore or callous where Allen's Foot-Ease is used. 100 testimonials. All druggist and shoe stores sell, 25c Sample sent Free. Address Allen S. Olmsted Le Roy, N. Y.

A Word to the Wise Sufficient.

ELLY'S CREAM BALM has completely cured me of catarrh when everything else failed.—Alfred W. Stevens, Caldwell, Ohio.

ELLY'S CREAM BALM works like a charm: it has cured me of the most obstinate case of cold in the head; I would not be without it.—Fred'k Pries, 283 Hart St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

A roc. trial size or the 50c. size of Elly's Cream Balm will be mailed. Kept by druggists, Elly Brother, 59 Warren St., N. Y.

Christmas and New Year's Holidays.

Excursion rates via Southern Indiana Railway. Tickets will be sold on December 23, 24, 25, 29 and 31 and January 1st; good returning up to and including January 3rd. Make no arrangement to spend the holidays with your friends.

For further information, time cards, tickets, 1 on Southern Indiana Railway Agent. H. H. ROSEMAN, G. P. & T. A. Bedford. J. M. CLARK, Agent, Seymour.

Thousand Have Kidney Trouble and Don't Know It.

There is a disease prevailing in this country most dangerous because so deceptive. Many sudden deaths are caused by it—heart disease, pneumonia, heart failure or apoplexy are often the result of kidney disease. If kidney trouble is allowed to advance the kidney poison in the blood is liable to attack the vital organs, or the kidneys themselves break down and waste away cell by cell. Then the richness of the blood—the albumen—leaks out and the sufferer has Bright's Disease, the worst form of kidney trouble. Kidney trouble can be detected although it be slow and deceptive. First, by analysis of the urine; second, by the simple test of setting the wine aside in a glass or bottle for twenty-four hours, when a cloud, or brick dust settling indicates it.

It was for just such troubles that in his infinite power and goodness the Great Physician caused Swamp Root to grow for the benefit of suffering mankind, leaving it for his servant Dr. Kilmer, the great kidney and bladder specialist to discover it and make it known to the world. Its wonderful efficacy in promptly curing the most distressing cases is truly marvellous. You may have a sample bottle of Dr. Kilmer's Swamp Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder remedy, by mail free.

Address Dr. Kilmer & Co. Binghamton, N. H. When writing mention this paper.

Druggists, in fifty cent or dollar sizes.

Try Grain-O! Try Grain-O!

Ask your grocer today to show you a package of GRAIN-O, the new food drink that takes the place of coffee. The children may drink it without injury as well as the adult. All who try it like it. GRAIN-O has that rich salt brown of Mocha or Java, but it is made from pure grains, and the most delicate stomach receives it without distress. 1/2 the price of coffee. 15c. and 25c. per package sold by all grocers.

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RAILROAD RUMBLINGS.

Conductor George L. Barkley who is laying off with stomach trouble is no better.

Superintendent H. C. Barnard, of the B. & O. S-W. at Washington went today to Cincinnati.

John M. Wallace, agent of the B. & O. S-W. at Brownstown, came up to the city today on railroad business.

Brakeman Ted Seaman who laid off three weeks ago with an attack of malarial trouble was in a fair way to recover when he was attacked with tonsillitis and he is unable to sit up.

Brakeman Bert McQueen, of the local freight west, had a thumb cut off near Ewing yesterday forenoon while switching cars. Sherman Kelso went to Mitchell to relieve him.

Mr. Hardin Norris, clerk of the drug store of R. Shoemaker, Perry, Ill., says: "A man came into our store the day and said, 'I want a bottle of that stuff that saves children's lives. I read in the News about it. The children may get sick when we can't get the doctor enough. It's the medicine you sell for croup.'" He alluded to Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and bought a bottle before he left the store. For sale by W. Milhous.

Restored the Cut.

Louisville, Dec. 20.—It has been announced from the general office of the Louisville and Nashville railroad in this city that the remaining 5 per cent cut, which was made in August, 1898, will be restored to the employees of the road on Jan. 1. Five years ago the Louisville and Nashville cut the wages of every man in its employ, from the president down, 10 per cent. Half of the cut was restored on July 1 last, and the road promised to restore the remainder on Jan. 1, 1899. This will be the most substantial Christmas present that the 18,000 employees of the great system could have.

Pensions Granted.

Washington, Dec. 20.—Pensions have been granted to Indians as follows: Original—Abraham Ringer, Castleton, \$6; Thomas Benbow, Gas City, \$8; Francis J. Mattier, Indianapolis, \$6; Daniel Weston, Grass Creek, \$6; Andrew Pearson, Indianapolis, \$8; Original Widows, etc.—Mary Baggett, Indianapolis, \$8; Mary Rogers, Convenience, \$8; Hannah Moore, Anoka, \$8; (reissue), Abbie A. Scarff, Madison, \$12; Mary J. Whitman, Sheridan, \$12; Susan Kappelmann, Lake station, \$8; Sarah F. Robinson, Seydianapolis, \$6; George W. Wolf, Farmland, \$17; James Thornburgh, Greensboro, \$17; Jonathan Mosher, Milford, \$12.

Filed a Petition in Bankruptcy.

Indianapolis, Dec. 20.—T. L. Griffith & Sons, a Connersville dry goods firm, filed a petition in bankruptcy in the federal court yesterday. Included in the indebtedness of the firm are notes for \$18,373. The assets are given at \$4,000.

Wheat Badly Injured.

Terre Haute, Ind., Dec. 20.—The farmers in western Indiana and eastern Illinois report serious damage to the wheat by the severely cold weather of last week. There was little or no snow to protect it, and now the fields in many places are black.

Was Killed by a Horse.

North Salem, Ind., Dec. 20.—Lewis Whitman, who was killed by a horse a week ago, is dead. He was a prominent Odd Fellow.

Probably Sid Conger.

Indianapolis, Dec. 20.—It is reported that Sid Conger of Flat Rock will succeed Colonel I. N. Walker on the state tax commission.

Weak Eyes are Made Strong

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Father Arrested For Stealing His Child From Its Mother.

CONSULTS WITH PINGREE

Indiana's Tax Board Comparing Notes With Michigan's Governor — Fort Wayne's Mayor Assumes a Belligerent Attitude Toward a Clerk and Is Compelled to Flee For Safety.

Dillsboro, Ind., Dec. 20.—Frank Little has been arrested, charged with kidnaping his little boy, aged 2 years. Little and wife parted several weeks ago, she taking the child. Yesterday he entered her apartments during her absence, concealed the child under his overcoat, taking him to his father's. At the preliminary trial Little entered a plea of guilty to taking the child and was released on \$1,000 bond.

CONSULTING WITH PINGREE

I. N. Walker of the State Tax Commission in Michigan.

Indianapolis, Dec. 20.—The state tax board will meet this week to prepare the recommendations it will make to the legislature. The board, consisting of Governor Mount, W. D. Owen, secretary of state; A. C. Dally, auditor of state; Ivan N. Walker and Thomas B. Buskirk. W. H. Hart, deputy auditor of state, is secretary to the board, which would have assembled the first part of last week had it not been for the absence of I. N. Walker, who is in Michigan consulting with Governor Pingree in regard to the Michigan tax law. Governor Pingree, prior to this time, has sent representatives to Indiana to examine into the tax law of this state, and about a month ago was here in person for the same purpose. In answer to a communication to the board, I. N. Walker was deputized to act as representative of the board, and to consult with Governor Pingree. He took with him a collection of tax blanks and other information, and it is understood that the state of Michigan will try to adopt the Indiana tax law almost in detail.

BELLIGERENT MAYOR

Fort Wayne's Executive Has a Scrap With a Clerk.

Fort Wayne, Ind., Dec. 20.—A. M. Schmidt, clerk of the official board, and Mayor Henry Scherer had a fight in the office of the board of works yesterday. The mayor struck the clerk with an umbrella, who retaliated with his fists. The clerk ran the mayor out of the building and threw a heavy inkstand after him. The mayor took refuge in the police station. The men are brothers-in-law, and the quarrel originated over family troubles.

COLONEL DICK THOMPSON.

Seriously Ill at His Residence in Terre Haute.

Terre Haute, Ind., Dec. 20.—Colonel R. W. Thompson has been confined to his bed for a week, and his condition is more serious than in any of the several prostrations of the past few years. He is very weak. His physician says it is a desperate fight against exhaustion incident to old age.

Restored the Cut.

Louisville, Dec. 20.—It has been announced from the general office of the Louisville and Nashville railroad in this city that the remaining 5 per cent cut, which was made in August, 1898, will be restored to the employees of the road on Jan. 1. Five years ago the Louisville and Nashville cut the wages of every man in its employ, from the president down, 10 per cent. Half of the cut was restored on July 1 last, and the road promised to restore the remainder on Jan. 1, 1899. This will be the most substantial Christmas present that the 18,000 employees of the great system could have.

Pensions Granted.

Washington, Dec. 20.—Pensions have been granted to Indians as follows: Original—Abraham Ringer, Castleton, \$6; Thomas Benbow, Gas City, \$8; Francis J. Mattier, Indianapolis, \$6; Daniel Weston, Grass Creek, \$6; Andrew Pearson, Indianapolis, \$8; Original Widows, etc.—Mary Baggett, Indianapolis, \$8; Mary Rogers, Convenience, \$8; Hannah Moore, Anoka, \$8; (reissue), Abbie A. Scarff, Madison, \$12; Mary J. Whitman, Sheridan, \$12; Susan Kappelmann, Lake station, \$8; Sarah F. Robinson, Seydianapolis, \$6; George W. Wolf, Farmland, \$17; James Thornburgh, Greensboro, \$17; Jonathan Mosher, Milford, \$12.

Filed a Petition in Bankruptcy.

Indianapolis, Dec. 20.—T. L. Griffith & Sons, a Connersville dry goods firm, filed a petition in bankruptcy in the federal court yesterday. Included in the indebtedness of the firm are notes for \$18,373. The assets are given at \$4,000.

Wheat Badly Injured.

Terre Haute, Ind., Dec. 20.—The farmers in western Indiana and eastern Illinois report serious damage to the wheat by the severely cold weather of last week. There was little or no snow to protect it, and now the fields in many places are black.

Was Killed by a Horse.

North Salem, Ind., Dec. 20.—Lewis Whitman, who was killed by a horse a week ago, is dead. He was a prominent Odd Fellow.

Probably Sid Conger.

Indianapolis, Dec. 20.—It is reported that Sid Conger of Flat Rock will succeed Colonel I. N. Walker on the state tax commission.

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